

January 7, 2016

See This Weekend

MISSION STATEMENT: Promote full utilization of the capabilities of the Enterprise's employees and champion the betterment of the company and community. Promote interest in Asian Pacific issues and culture and act as a bridge to all groups within our community. (substitute in your Enterprise and company, etc...)

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Back issues of the newsletter for all of 2000-2015 are available at <http://www.ikemi.info/APPA/> newsletters. if you want to look up some past event. This newsletter was originally published under the auspices of the Hughes Asian Pacific Professional Association (no longer extant). It currently has no affiliation and is available to anyone who is interested in downloading it.

Please send in information on cultural events and news items to dkikemi@pacbell.net. The mac.com address will be shut down soon. Thanks to those who have.

Long range calendar items:

Los Angeles Public Library:

<http://www.lapl.org>

Asian American Expo is a 2 day event being held from 16th January to the 17th January 2016 at the Fairplex Pomona in Pomona, United States Of America. This event showcases product from Apparel & Clothing, Computer Hardware & Software, Cosmetics and Beauty Products, Medical & Pharmaceutical, Railway, Shipping & Aviation Products, Business Services, Food & Beverage industries.

1101 W McKinley Ave, Pomona, CA 91768

<http://10times.com/asian-american-expo>

CURRENT EXHIBITIONS

USC Pacific Asia Museum is proud to present a variety of exhibitions throughout the year. The following are currently on view:

The View from a Scholar's Studio: Japanese Literati Paintings from Tiezudingzhai Collection

May 15, 2015 through May 15, 2016

Reshaping Tradition: Contemporary Ceramics from East Asia

September 11, 2015 through January 31, 2016

Jan 10 Free Second Sunday: Thailand

Join us as we celebrate the arts and culture of Thailand. Admission to the galleries and the day's programming are FREE all day.

Silk Road Story Time – 10:30 am & 11:30 am
Art Activity – 10:30 am – 4:30 pm
Spotlight Tours – 11:00 am & 1:00 pm
Music/ Dance/Art Demo – Noon, 1:00 pm & 2:00 pm (Thai Community Arts & Cultural Center)
46 North Los Robles Avenue
Pasadena, California 91101
Open Wednesday through Sunday 10am to 6pm
http://www.pacificasiamuseum.org/_on_view/index.aspx

SACRED REALMS: TEMPLE MURALS BY SHASHI DHOJ TULACHAN FROM THE GAYLE AND EDWARD P. ROSKI COLLECTION
Ongoing
ANCIENT ARTS OF CHINA: A 5000 YEAR LEGACY
Ongoing
Bowers Museum
2002 North Main Street, Santa Ana, CA 92706 · 714.567.3600
<http://www.bowers.org/index.php/exhibitions/current-exhibitions>

18th Annual Shikishi Exhibition

January 8-10, 12-17, 19-24, 26-31, 2016 at 12:00PM

George J. Doizaki Gallery
244 S San Pedro St.
Los Angeles, CA 90012
Spotlight Tours: 11:00 am & 1:00 pm

This weekend (give or take a little)

Saturday, January 9, 2016, 2:00 PM
Author Discussion— *Taken from the Paradise Isle* by Heidi Kim
Taken from the Paradise Isle tells the story of the Japanese American incarceration through selections from George Hoshida's memoir, diary, letters, and artworks. These first-person sources are bolstered by extensive archival documents and editor Heidi Kim's historical contextualization. The book provides a new and important perspective on the tragedy of the incarceration as it affected Japanese American families in Hawai'i, adding to the growing body of literature that illuminates the violation of Nikkei civil rights during World War II. Free with museum admission. RSVPs are recommended
<http://www.janm.org/events/>

Japanese American National Museum
100 North Central Avenue, Los Angeles California 90012
phone: (213) 625-0414

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Where I went last weekend (or the weekend before): See dkikemi.blogspot.com

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Resources:

LACMA calendar:

<http://www.lacma.org/events/Calendar.aspx>

UCLA Asia Institute calendar:

<http://www.international.ucla.edu/asia/events/index.asp?action=monthview>

Japanese American National Museum

<http://www.janm.org/events/>

Chinese American Museum

<http://camla.org/events/calendar.htm>

Korean Cultural Center

<http://www.kccla.org/>

Japanese American Community Cultural Center <http://jaccc.org/>

Pacifica Asian Museum <http://www.pacificasiamuseum.org/calendar/whatsnew.htm>

Cultural News

<http://www.culturalnews.com/>

Los Angeles Public Library

<http://www.lapl.org/events/>

Orange County Agricultural and Nikkei Heritage Museum http://fullertonarboretum.org/museum_nikkei.php

Articles from the LA Times:

CALIFORNIA POLITICS Jan 7

Clinton to court Asian voters, a growing force in California and beyond
Cathleen Decker

CALIFORNIA Dec 27

Archivist of the Korean American experience says goodbye to print
Victoria Kim

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'The Making of Asian America' is a stirring chronicle long overdue
Viet Thanh Nguyen

Aug 2

To Asian American Students: Be Less "Asian"
Titus Wu

OP-ED Dec 18

The Japanese American internment decision: A dangerous relic
John Inazu and Karen Tani

CALIFORNIA Dec 10

Trump's rhetoric on Muslims echoes WWII hysteria over Japanese Americans
George Skelton

NATION Nov 20

Japanese American who fought U.S. internment camps in WWII to get posthumous honor
Matt Pearce

ARTS & CULTURE Nov 22

Huntington Library's 'Y.C. Hong' show hails Chinese American pioneer
Mike Boehm

POLITICS Nov 18

Backed by California Democrats, Chinese American scientists arrested on espionage charges
demand answers
Sarah D. Wire